

Representative Melissa G. Ballard proposes the following substitute bill:

HIGHER EDUCATION STUDY

2019 GENERAL SESSION

STATE OF UTAH

Chief Sponsor: Melissa G. Ballard

Senate Sponsor: Deidre M. Henderson

LONG TITLE

General Description:

This bill requires the State Board of Regents to conduct a study and report to the Legislature.

Highlighted Provisions:

This bill:

- ▶ requires the State Board of Regents to:
 - study tuition waivers and scholarships;
 - study indicators of student success; and
 - report to the Higher Education Appropriations Subcommittee; and
- ▶ provides a repeal date.

Money Appropriated in this Bill:

None

Other Special Clauses:

This bill provides a coordination clause.

Utah Code Sections Affected:

AMENDS:

63I-2-253, as last amended by Laws of Utah 2018, Chapters 107, 281, 382, 415, and 456



26 ENACTS:

27 [53B-8-114](#), Utah Code Annotated 1953

28 **Utah Code Sections Affected by Coordination Clause:**

29 [53B-1-301](#), Utah Code Annotated 1953

31 *Be it enacted by the Legislature of the state of Utah:*

32 Section 1. Section [53B-8-114](#) is enacted to read:

33 **[53B-8-114](#). Study of tuition waivers and scholarships -- Study of student success**
34 **indicators -- Report to Legislature.**

35 (1) The board shall study:

36 (a) the statewide impacts of state-created tuition waivers and scholarships, including:

37 (i) the amount of tuition waived and scholarships granted, including the proportion of
38 tuition waivers and scholarships for resident students and nonresident students;

39 (ii) the benefits and fiscal impacts of state-created tuition waivers and scholarships;

40 (iii) the process by which students apply for tuition waivers and scholarships, and
41 whether that process can be consolidated across higher education institutions that are part of
42 the Utah System of Higher Education described in Section [53B-1-102](#);

43 (iv) the performance of students who receive state-created tuition waivers or state
44 scholarships, including retention, completion, and state workforce participation; and

45 (v) other issues related to the statewide goals and impacts of tuition waivers and
46 scholarships, as determined by the board; and

47 (b) the use of uniform indicators to measure student success, including by analyzing for
48 each institution of higher education that is part of the Utah System of Higher Education
49 described in Section [53B-1-102](#):

50 (i) the first-year student retention rate; and

51 (ii) the completion rate.

52 (2) On or before November 1, 2019, the board shall report to the Higher Education
53 Appropriations Subcommittee on:

54 (a) the results of the study described in Subsection (1); and

55 (b) any recommendations related to tuition waivers, scholarships, or uniform student
56 success indicators based on the results.

- 57 Section 2. Section **63I-2-253** is amended to read:
- 58 **63I-2-253. Repeal dates -- Titles 53 through 53G.**
- 59 (1) Section **53A-24-602** is repealed July 1, 2018.
- 60 (2) (a) Subsections **53B-2a-103**(2) and (4) are repealed July 1, 2019.
- 61 (b) When repealing Subsections **53B-2a-103**(2) and (4), the Office of Legislative
- 62 Research and General Counsel shall, in addition to its authority under Subsection **36-12-12**(3),
- 63 make necessary changes to subsection numbering and cross references.
- 64 (3) (a) Subsection **53B-2a-108**(5) is repealed July 1, 2022.
- 65 (b) When repealing Subsection **53B-2a-108**(5), the Office of Legislative Research and
- 66 General Counsel shall, in addition to its authority under Subsection **36-12-12**(3), make
- 67 necessary changes to subsection numbering and cross references.
- 68 (4) (a) Subsection **53B-7-705**(6)(b)(ii)(A), the language that states "Except as provided
- 69 in Subsection (6)(b)(ii)(B)," is repealed July 1, 2021.
- 70 (b) Subsection **53B-7-705**(6)(b)(ii)(B) is repealed July 1, 2021.
- 71 (5) (a) Subsection **53B-7-707**(4)(a)(ii), the language that states "Except as provided in
- 72 Subsection (4)(b)," is repealed July 1, 2021.
- 73 (b) Subsection **53B-7-707**(4)(b) is repealed July 1, 2021.
- 74 (6) Section **53B-8-114** is repealed July 1, 2020.
- 75 ~~[(6)]~~ (7) (a) The following sections are repealed on July 1, 2023:
- 76 (i) Section **53B-8-202**;
- 77 (ii) Section **53B-8-203**;
- 78 (iii) Section **53B-8-204**; and
- 79 (iv) Section **53B-8-205**.
- 80 (b) (i) Subsection **53B-8-201**(2) is repealed on July 1, 2023.
- 81 (ii) When repealing Subsection **53B-8-201**(2), the Office of Legislative Research and
- 82 General Counsel shall, in addition to its authority under Subsection **36-12-12**(3), make
- 83 necessary changes to subsection numbering and cross references.
- 84 ~~[(7)]~~ (8) Title 53B, Chapter 18, Part 14, Uintah Basin Air Quality Research Project, is
- 85 repealed July 1, 2023.
- 86 ~~[(8)]~~ (9) Subsection **53E-5-306**(3)(b)(ii)(B) is repealed July 1, 2020.
- 87 ~~[(9)]~~ (10) Section **53E-5-307** is repealed July 1, 2020.

88 ~~[(10)]~~ (11) Subsections [53F-2-205](#)(4) and (5), the language that states "or [53F-2-301.5](#),
89 as applicable" is repealed July 1, 2023.

90 ~~[(11)]~~ (12) Subsection [53F-2-301](#)(1) is repealed July 1, 2023.

91 ~~[(12)]~~ (13) Subsection [53F-2-515](#)(1), the language that states "or [53F-2-301.5](#), as
92 applicable" is repealed July 1, 2023.

93 ~~[(13)]~~ (14) Section [53F-4-204](#) is repealed July 1, 2019.

94 ~~[(14)]~~ (15) Section [53F-6-202](#) is repealed July 1, 2020.

95 ~~[(15)]~~ (16) Subsection [53F-9-302](#)(3), the language that states "or [53F-2-301.5](#), as
96 applicable" is repealed July 1, 2023.

97 ~~[(16)]~~ (17) Subsection [53F-9-305](#)(3)(a), the language that states "or [53F-2-301.5](#), as
98 applicable" is repealed July 1, 2023.

99 ~~[(17)]~~ (18) Subsection [53F-9-306](#)(3)(a), the language that states "or [53F-2-301.5](#), as
100 applicable" is repealed July 1, 2023.

101 ~~[(18)]~~ (19) Subsection [53G-3-304](#)(1)(c)(i), the language that states "or [53F-2-301.5](#), as
102 applicable" is repealed July 1, 2023.

103 ~~[(19)]~~ (20) On July 1, 2023, when making changes in this section, the Office of
104 Legislative Research and General Counsel shall, in addition to the office's authority under
105 Subsection [36-12-12](#)(3), make corrections necessary to ensure that sections and subsections
106 identified in this section are complete sentences and accurately reflect the office's perception of
107 the Legislature's intent.

108 Section 3. **Coordinating H.B. 454 with S.B. 14 -- Substantive language.**

109 If this H.B. 454 and S.B. 14, Education Reporting Requirements, both pass and become
110 law, it is the intent of the Legislature that the Office of Legislative Research and General
111 Counsel prepare the Utah Code database for publication by:

112 (1) inserting the following language as a new Subsection [53B-1-301](#)(2)(a):

113 "(a) the report by the State Board of Regents on a study described in Section
114 [53B-8-114](#)"; and

115 (2) renumbering remaining subsections accordingly.